GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE
LOK SABHA

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POVERTY ALLEVIATION FUND
BIR SING MAHATO

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the World Bank has asserted that India has misused the Poverty Alleviation Fund;

(b) if so, the facts thereof; and

(c) the steps taken by the Government to explain its stand and also to speed up the pace of reforms?

Answer

Minister of State in the Ministry of Finance (Shri Gingee N. Ramachandran)

(a) No, Sir.

(b) & (c) does not arise.